

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:: Paul J. Husted et al.

Application No.: 10/782,394

Art Unit.: 2611

Filed: 02/18/2004

Examiner: Kevin M. Burd

For: "Method And Apparatus For Selective Disregard Of Co-Channel Transmissions On A Medium"

**Docket No.: ATH-0125**

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: August 18, 2008

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.
2. **STATUS:** Applicant is other than a small entity.
3. **EXTENSION OF TERM:** A Petition And Fee For Extension Of Time (37.C.F.R. 1.136(a)) is filed herewith.
4. **FEE FOR CLAIMS:** The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated below:

|  | (Col.1)                                   |       | (Col. 2)                              | (Col. 3)         | LARGE ENTITY        |               |
|--|---|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------|
|  | Claims<br>Remaining<br>After<br>Amendment |       | Highest No.<br>Previously<br>Paid For | Present<br>Extra | Rate                | Addit.<br>Fee |
| Total  | 48  | Minus | 88                                    | = -0-            | x \$50 =            | \$-0-         |
| Indep.   | 7   | Minus | 7                                     | = -0-            | x \$210 =           | \$-0-         |
| First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim |   |       |                                       |                  | + \$370 =           | \$0           |
|  |   |       |                                       |                  | Total<br>Addit. Fee | \$-0-         |

5. **FEE PAYMENT and DEFICIENCY:** *This Amendment is being electronically filed and fees should be charged to our American Express credit card.* Please charge the amount of \$120 for one-month extension of time. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, or if there is an underpayment of fees, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0574 (Docket No. ATH-0125).

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Assignee: Atheros Communications, Inc.  
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE SECOND OFFICE ACTION

Initial Comments:

This response addresses the status of Claims 1-17, 19-24, 51-56, 60, and 62-79. Claims 1-17, 51-56, 60, and 62-79 are allowed. Claims 19-21 and 23 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(a) as being anticipated by U.S. Publication 2002/0183027 (Husted). Claims 22 and 24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being rendered obvious by Husted in view of U.S. Publication 2004/0208151 (Haverinen).

No claims are amended herein.